

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Chairman;
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;
Tony Hammond; and
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
GEPS 3 (MC2010-28)
Negotiated Service Agreements

Docket No. CP2016-237

ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TWO TO
GEPS 3 AND DENYING AS MOOT MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF

(Issued August 24, 2017)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Agreement) is set to expire August 31, 2017.¹ The Postal Service seeks to extend the Agreement pursuant to Modification Two executed by the Postal Service and its contract partner.² Modification Two extends the expiration date of the Agreement until September 30, 2017. Motion at 1.

¹ Order No. 3999, Order Approving Modification One to GEPS 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, July 13, 2017, at 2. See also Order Approving Additional Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, July 15, 2016 (Order No. 3428).

² See Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief and Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification Two to Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, August 23, 2017 (Motion). The modification is attached to the Motion as Attachment 1 (Modification Two).

The Commission finds that the extension will not affect the Agreement's ability to comply with 39 U.S.C. § 3633(a). Extending the Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person. Consequently, the Commission reaffirms its findings in Order No. 3428 and approves Modification Two. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through September 30, 2017. Accordingly, the Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

It is ordered:

1. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through September 30, 2017.
2. The Postal Service's Motion for Temporary Relief is denied as moot.

By the Commission.

Stacy L. Ruble
Secretary